

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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## BY FACSIMILE (405-232-6363) AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

William E. Liebel, Esquire 1000 Robinson Renaissance 119 N. Robinson Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102 RE: MUR 4818

Edith Susie Beavers

Dear Mr. Liebel:

On October 23, 2003, Ms. Beavers was notified that the Federal Election Commission determined to enter into negotiations directed toward reaching a conciliation agreement in settlement of this matter prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. On that same date your client was sent a conciliation agreement offered by the Commission in settlement of this matter.

Please note that conciliation negotiations entered into prior to a finding of probable cause to believe are usually limited to a maximum of 30 days. As a result of the initial delay in notifying Ms. Beavers, statements that you have made concerning Ms. Beavers' current situation, and tolling agreements signed, this Office has tried to work with you to settle this matter. You also stated that Ms. Beavers might be retaining other counsel for this matter; however, we have yet to be informed that other counsel represents her.

Unless we receive a response from you within five days, this Office will consider these negotiations terminated and will proceed to the next stage of the enforcement process against Ms. Beavers.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Daniel G. Pinegar

Attorney